Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 16 Jul 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 17 Jul 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 15 Jul 2021 at 16:13 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a lot of fine dry weather over the next 5 days, medium for cloud amounts and for any rain later Sunday and early Monday.

Headline for Friday 16 Jul 2021: Dry with some sunshine at times. A moderate westerly breeze.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 16 Jul 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny
Precipitation probability							
00%	<05%	00%	<05%	<05%	<05%	00%	<05%

Forecast for Friday 16 Jul 2021

Weather: A dry day with good spells of sunshine, and just some occasional fairweather cloud, mainly in the afternoon

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70% for a short period in the morning in the west otherwise 95% or more

Visibility: Very good with what cloud there is in the afternoon being above the summits. Just a chance of poor visibility at first should any cloud dip onto the western tops.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	14/18 SW	14/18 SW	16/21 SW	17/23 W	16/22 W	17/23 W	17/24 W	18/24 SW	22/28 SW
900	10/14 SW	11/15 SW	13/18 SW	15/20 W	15/21 W	15/22 W	15/22 W	13/18 SW	14/20 SW
600	6/11 W	9/14 W	11/18 SW	12/19 W	12/19 W	12/21 W	12/20 W	9/16 W	8/16 W
300	4/10 W	5/11 W	6/13 W	9/16 W	9/17 W	10/19 W	10/19 W	6/15 W	6/13 W
Glen	2/5 W	3/8 W	4/10 W	6/12 W	9/16 W	10/18 W	9/18 W	6/13 W	5/11 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	10/8	9/6	9/6	10/7	12/9	13/10	12/9	10/7	11/7
900	12/10	10/8	11/8	12/10	14/12	15/12	14/11	12/10	12/9
600	13/12	12/11	13/11	16/13	18/16	18/16	17/15	14/13	13/12
300	14/14	12/12	14/13	19/17	21/20	22/20	20/18	16/16	14/13
Glen	13/14	12/12	15/14	20/19	23/22	23/22	22/20	17/17	14/14
Freezing Level*	3000m	2900m	3100m	3200m	3000m	3200m	3100m	3000m	3000m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
High UV levels and some sunshine mean that protection against sunburn and dehydration will be necessary.

Forecast for Saturday 17 Jul 2021
Weather: A dry day with good spells of sunshine, and just some patchy cloud mainly in the north. High UV levels are expected.

Maximum wind: West 25 gusts 35mph, but lighter winds in shelter making it feel very warm or hot.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: More than 95%

Visibility: Very good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 11 around dawn rising to Plus 25 in the afternoon.
At 800m: Plus 11 Celsius rising to 15 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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